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Via ECFS

September 28, 2017

Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: CenturyLink Certification for Qwest Corporation Public Notice of

Network Change for Fiber-to-the-Home Copper Retirements, 47 C.F.R. Section 51.332(d); No. 795, WC Docket No. 17-151; Report No. NCD-

2678

Dear Ms. Dortch:

CenturyLink, Inc., on behalf of its incumbent local exchange carrier affiliate (collectively referred to herein as "CenturyLink"), hereby submits in the attached Appendix the enclosed Declaration and Certification under 47 C.F.R. § 51.332(d) for public notice No. 795, 2 as filed on

¹ Qwest Corporation, the local exchange carrier, is wholly owned by Qwest Communications International Inc. (QCII). On April 1, 2011, QCII and CenturyLink, Inc. (CenturyLink) consummated a transaction whereby QCII became a wholly owned subsidiary of CenturyLink.

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https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/10215678803993/c%20170214%20CTL%20QC%20795%20PN%20FTTH%20Copper%20Retirements%20FINAL.pdf;

 $https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/10215678803993/d\%20170214\%20CTL\%20QC\%20795\%20PN\%20\\ Distribution\%20List\%20FINAL.xlsx; and$

https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/10215678803993/e%20170214%20CTL%20QC%20795%20PN%20COS%20FINAL.pdf.

Qwest Corporation is also referred to herein as CenturyLink QC.

The CenturyLink QC public notice can be accessed via ECFS:
https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/10215678803993/a%20170214%20CTL%20QC%20795%20PN%20

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February 14, 2017 and publicly noticed by the FCC on June 30, 2017.³ The planned implementation date for Network Disclosure Announcement No. 795 for fiber-to-the-home copper retirements in Utah is December 29, 2017. This Declaration and Certification is filed by CenturyLink's authorized representative within 90 days of June 30, 2017 in response to 47 C.F.R. § 51.332(d) and (f) and the Declaration meets the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 1.16.

Sincerely,

/s/ Abdennaceur Boudhaouia

Enclosures

cc: Carmell Weathers

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³ Public Notice, Report No. NCD-2678, WC Docket No. 17-151 (rel. June 30, 2017). http://transition.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Business/2017/db0630/DOC-345608A1.pdf

Appendix

DECLARATION AND CERTIFICATION UNDER SECTION 51.332(d)

I, Abdennaceur Boudhaouia, certify under penalty of perjury that the following Certification is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

47 C.F.R. § 51.332(d)

Pursuant to section 51.332(d) of the FCC's rules, CenturyLink QC hereby provides its Certification no later than 90 days after the FCC's Public Notice of June 30, 2017. In support of its Certification, CenturyLink QC declares as follows with respect to the statements and other information required by that section:

- (1) This Certification is for Network Disclosure No. 795 for fiber-to-the-home copper retirements in Utah with an implementation date of December 29, 2017;
- (2) On February 14, 2017, notice was given in compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 51.332(b)(1);
- (3) On February 14, 2017, CenturyLink timely served a copy of its public notice upon each entity within the affected service area that directly interconnects with CenturyLink QC's network, in compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 51.332(b)(1);
- (4) Attachment 1 to today's submission provides the name and address of each entity upon which CenturyLink served the written notice referred to in statement (3) above;
- (5) On February 14, 2017, CenturyLink timely notified and served a copy of the public notice of its network change upon the governor and state public utility commission of Utah, any tribal entities in the affected service areas, and the Special Assistant for Telecommunications under the U.S. Secretary of Defense, in compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 51.332(b)(4);
- (6) These retirements will have no impact on the rates, terms and conditions of the services provided to the retail customers that are currently served by the copper facilities being retired;
- (7) No customer notice is required by 47 C.F.R. § 51.332(b)(3) for these retirements;
- (8) The notification requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 68.110(b) do not apply to these retirements;
- (9) CenturyLink has complied with the good faith communication requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 51.332(g) and will continue to do so until implementation of the planned copper retirement is complete; and
- (10) The Commission has assigned the following docket number and NCD numbers to CenturyLink QC's Network Disclosure No. 795: WC Docket No. 17-151; Report No. NCD-2678.

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Any person seeking additional information in conjunction with CenturyLink QC Network Disclosure No. 795 can contact:

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Executed on: September 28, 2017